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LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE PUBLIC PROTECTION DIVISION

Charitable Exemption Checklist

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To apply for exemption based upon educational institution

- 1. Letter of Accreditation from the State Department of Education or the appropriate state educational board or accrediting agency;
- 2. Articles of Incorporation;
- 3. Bylaws;
- 4. IRS Determination Letter;
- 5. Copy of all contracts with current professional solicitors or fundraisers;
- 6. Charitable Exemption Form.

To apply for exemption based upon religious institution

- 1. IRS Determination letter;
- 2. Articles of Incorporation;
- 3. Bylaws:
- 4. An explanation of how the religious institution/organization meets the religious institution requirement for exemption status. The definition of a religious institution can be found at 16 LAC Pt. III §515;
- 5. Copy of all contracts with current professional solicitors or fundraisers;
- 6. Charitable Exemption Form.

^{***}Please note we are only accepting exemption applications for entities that use professional solicitors/fundraisers.